VISUALIZATION

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PENTAGON — The C4ISR Visualization Center provides a izations can demonstrate and display their products and capabilities to senior military and civilian leaders.

Its mission is to provide a Pentagon portal into Air Force and Joint training events, experiments, wargames, real-world operations, and to facilitate demonstrations of new and emerging technologies.

It also provides government, industry and academia with a venue to showcase a variety of technologies throughout the

The CVC supports Air Force initiatives by developing conceptual views, video presentations and animations, and it provides a robust video teleconference and demonstration capability used by senior leadership.

Operations. This event was a "distributed event" between four sites facilitated by use of the Distributed Mission Operations Center's mission brief/debrief system. The distributed locations were the CVC, the DMOC located at Kirtland AFB, N.M., Langley AFB, Va., and Nellis AFB, Nev.

This event showcased Air Combat Command's Virtual Flag 04-3 training exercise. It allowed participants to brief the Chief and to demonstrate to him the advances being made in the DMO program.

In addition, a DVD of the event captured the Chief's com-

ments that was shared throughout the Air Force.

the Joint Expeditionary Force Experiment 2004, an Air Force-sponsored, ACC executed experiment that combined live-fly,



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live-play, ground and naval forces, simulations, and technology insertion into a near-seamless warfighting environment. In partnership with the Air Force Experimentation Office, daily demonstrations and briefings of key JEFX 04 initiatives were presented to senior DoD and USAF leaders unable to travel to Nellis, the JEFX 04 Headquarters and main activity site. Additionally, three VTC's were conducted between the JEFX 04 Headquarters and the CVC in support of VIP Day, Congressional Staffer Day, and Media Day. The JEFX 04 demonstrations in the CVC were attended by 154 DoD and USAF personnel, which included 20 general officer/senior executive service members, 11 Congressional staffers, and 13 members of the media.

In the future, the CVC plans expanded involvement with both the Virtual Flag and JEFX programs and has several events scheduled for 2005 involving units throughout the Air

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